By the King.

A PROCLAMATION

Requiring all Officers or Souldiers that ſerved in the Armies of any the late Uſurped Powers, and have been Disbanded, Caſhiered or Turned out, to depart the Cities of *London* and *Weſtminſter* before the laſt day of this inſtant *March*.

CHARLES R.

THe Kings moſt Excellent Majeſty, for prevention of ill Conſequences which may enſue by the frequent reſort and abode of Diſcontented Officers and Souldiers of the late Army, in and about the Cities of London and Weſtminſter, the Suburbs thereof, and places adjacent, hath thought fit (by and with the Advice of His Priby Council) to Publiſh and Declare, and doth by this His Royal Proclamation Publiſh and Declare, and alſo ſtraitly Charge and Command, That all and every perſon and perſons, being heretofore an Officer or Souldier ſerving in any the Armies of the late Uſurped Powers, and have been Disbanded, Caſhiered, or turned out of the ſame, (who are not under Impriſonment, or other Legal Reſtraint, or have not their conſtant Habitations and Families within the Cities of London and Weſtminſter, or the Suburbs thereof, or who cannot procure or obtain a Licence from His Majeſty, the Lord General, or one of His Majeſties

Principal Secretaries of State, or any Three or more of his Privy Council in that behalf) do on or before the last day of this instant March, depart out of the said Cities of London and Westminster, and the Liberties and Suburbs thereof, and not return again, or come within Twenty Miles of the same Cities of London and Westminster, or either of them, until after the last day of September next ensuing: And that they or any of them do not, or shall not in the mean time wear, use, carry, or ride with any Sword, Pistol, or other Arms or Weapons. And herein His Majesty doth expect from all persons concerned, a due and punctual submission and conformity, at their perils, and upon pain of his high Displeasure: Willing and hereby Commanding the Lieutenants, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, Constables, and other Officers and Ministers of and in the several Counties, Castles and Places of this Kingdom, and Dominion of Wales, to Apprehend and Seise the persons, and take away the Arms and Weapons of all such as shall be found faulty, or Offenders in or contrary to the purport, true intent and meaning of this his Majesties Royal Proclamation, and them to send to the Goal of the City or County where they are apprehended, sending the Lords of his Majesties Privy Council a Note of their Names, and of their particular Offences, that so they may be proceeded against for their Contempts, according to Justice.

Given at Our Court at *Whitehall* the 25th day of *March*, 166$\frac{3}{4}$. in the Sixteenth year of Our Reign.

God save the King.

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